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The proposed DOJ settlement with Microsoft is insufficient. It doesn't punish Microsoft for its past mis-deeds, and in some ways allows them to extend their monopoly further, by allowing them to give their software to poorer schools across the nation.

The proposal by the remaining 9 states who are opposed to the DOJ settlement, written by Sullivan and Kuney of Williams & Connolly LLP, Greene of the California's AG office, and Davis of the West Virginia's AG office, addresses Microsoft's anti-trust violations and offers appropriate remedies. I read this proposal at http://www.naag.org/features/microsoft/ms-remedy_filing.pdf

The Sullivan et al. proposed remedy should be applied to Microsoft. That remedy will result in better competition and benefit for consumers.

Sincerely,

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